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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHOD FOR MANAGING OBJECTS CREATED IN A DIRECTORY SERVICE, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
☒ was filed on March 6, 2002 as Application Serial No. 10/092,646 and was amended on _____
☐ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____ filed on _____ and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e)(1) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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| Country | Application No. | Filing Date | Priority Claimed |
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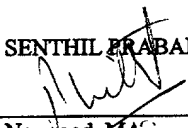
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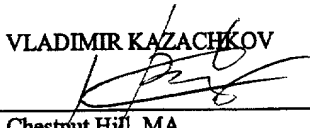
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